IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

PAULINE CIABATTONI :

Plaintiff

v. : Civil Action No. 04-203 GMS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :

Defendant :

ORDER

WHEREAS, on April 4, 2004, this case was removed from the Chancery Court of Delaware;

WHEREAS, on June 7, 2004, the court granted a stipulation staying the proceedings for 120 days;

WHEREAS, on October 8, 2004, the court granted a further stipulation staying the proceedings for an additional 90 days;

WHEREAS, on January 13, 2005, the court granted a final stay of an additional 90 days; ordering that no further extensions shall be granted;

WHEREAS, on May 19, 2005, the court received a joint status report from counsel, in which both parties requested additional time to further pursue negotiations;

IS IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The parties are granted an additional 180-day stay from the date of this Order;
- 2. A further status report is due by November 28, 2005.

Date: May 27, 2005 /s/ Gregory M. Sleet

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE